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Sir:

In response to the telephone interview with Examiner Pascua on Monday, April 18, 2005 and on Wednesday, May 4, , 2005, Applicant respectfully submits the following amendments and remarks for entry into the record of the U.S. Patent Application identified above.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this Response.

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